



Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
Group Art Unit 2853, Expedited Procedure

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

MASAHIKO KUBOTA, et al.

Application No.: 10/646,700

Filed: August 25, 2003

For: SOLID SEMICONDUCTOR ELEMENT,
INK TANK, INK JET RECORDING
APPARATUS PROVIDED WITH INK
TANK, LIQUID INFORMATION
ACQUIRING METHOD AND LIQUID
PHYSICAL PROPERTY CHANGE
DISCRIMINATION METHOD

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 26, 2006, please amend
the above-identified application, as follows:

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